

SENATE RESOLUTION 32

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A RESOLUTION to confirm the appointment of Betty Anne Wilson to the Goodwyn Institute.

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-50-702, provides that the Governor shall appoint three commissioners to serve the Goodwyn Institute; and

WHEREAS, Governor Phil Bredesen recently appointed Betty Anne Wilson of Memphis, Tennessee, to fill a vacancy on the Goodwyn Institute; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Wilson graduated from Greenwich Academy, earned a Bachelor of Arts degree from Emory University, and received a Master's degree from the University of Southern California; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Wilson serves as Assistant Director for Library Advancement for the Memphis Public Library and Information Center, where she helps lead the Foundation for the Library and Friends of the Library; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Wilson orchestrated fundraising efforts to gain \$21.5 million to enhance library collections and services and to help fund public art; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Wilson serves her community in the Junior League and as a graduate of Leadership Memphis; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Wilson serves as an Elder in the Idlewild Presbyterian Church; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Wilson's professional business experience with the Memphis Public Library as well as her service and leadership in the Memphis community would be a tremendous asset to the Goodwyn Institute; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-50-702, provides that all commissioners appointed to the Goodwyn Institute by the Governor shall be subject to confirmation by the Senate; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that this body does hereby confirm the appointment of Betty Anne Wilson of Memphis, Tennessee, to a four (4) year term as Commissioner for the Goodwyn Institute, such term to expire on March 31, 2009.